

IN THE SPECIFICATION

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FIG. 2c, a perspective view of a coupling cuff;

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FIG. 2c shows a side view of a coupling cuff 18. The coupling cuff 18 includes flanges 19 and 20, which are separated by a recessed portion 21. Flange 19 connects to motor 4, and flange 20 connects to the air-carrying conduits. Flanges 19 and 20 may abut against one or more shoulders in the foam body formed by wall sections 8b, 9b and/or 8c, 9c of the mold.

Page 11, prior to the paragraph starting with “Fig. 4”, please insert the following new paragraph:

The first portion of the molded part 1 may be disposed in a horizontal plane, and the second portion of the molded foam part 2 may be disposed in another horizontal plane, where the horizontal planes are vertically offset. Additionally, the molded foam part 2 may have a top surface having a recess that receives sensor devices 11a, the top surface being a first horizontal surface, and the molded foam part having a second horizontal surface vertically and laterally offset from the first horizontal surface. The second horizontal surface may receive at least one functional component such as filter body 11b.